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## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Fell et al. for : ABSORBENT GARMENT WITH EXPANDABLE ABSORBENT ELEMENT. Enclosed are:

- 11 sheet(s) of drawings, 33 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices : \_\_\_\_\_.
- Declaration.
- Power of Attorney.
- Verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27.
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Claims as Filed	Col. 1	Col. 2
For	No. Filed	No. Extra
<u>Basic Fee</u>		
Total Claims	-20	
Indep. Claims	-3	
Multiple Dependent Claims Present		

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Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
x\$9=	\$ 355
x\$40=	\$
+\$135=	\$
Total	\$

Other Than Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
or	\$ 710
or	\$
Total	\$

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